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TAGS : ECON EFIN QA

SUBJECT : GOVERNMENT OF QATAR BUDGET FIGURES FOR 1975

1. RELIABLE LOCAL BUSINESS SOURCE HAS INFORMED US OF GOQ'S OVERALL BUDGET FIGURES FOR 1975. ACCORDING SOURCE, ORDINARY BUDGET TOTALS QATARI RIYALS 1.5 BILLION (QR3.94 EQUALS \$1.00) AS OPPOSED TO QR 506 MILLION FOR 1974. CAPITAL EXPENDITURE BUDGET IS QR305 MILLION FOR 1975 AS COMPARED WITH QR115 MILLION FOR LAST YEAR. SOURCE SAID DATA PROVIDED WITHOUT AUTHORIZATION BY EMPLOYEE IN MINISTRY OF FINANCE.

2. GOQ DIRECTOR OF FINANCE HAS TOLD US THAT BUDGET IS IN PROCESS OF FINAL APPROVAL AND HE HAS RECOMMENDED THAT IT BE PUBLISHED IN DETAIL FOR FIRST TIME. ALTHOUGH HE DECLINED TO BE SPECIFIC ON FIGURES, ORDER OF MAGNITUDE THAT HE INDICATED CONSISTENT WITH INFORMATION PROVIDED IN PARA 1. PAGANELLI

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